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SUBJECT: SANTO DOMINGO DAO STAFFING

REFS: STATE 30349; DCM TO DAO MEMO OF JAN 10, 1974

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1. RECOMMENDATIONS CONTAINED REFTEL REMAIN VALID WITH ONE EXCEPT-
ION. DAO HAS REQUESTED RECONSIDERATION OF DECISION TO ABOLISH
ENLISTED POSITION ON BASIS IT IS NECESSARY TO FULFILL NORMAL WORK
REQUIREMENTS. AFTER EXAMINATION DAO WORKLOAD, AMBASSADOR HAS AGREED
THAT POSITION MAY BE RETAINED FOR SIX MONTHS BEYOND AUGUST 1974,
WHEN AIR ATTACHE DEPARTS (AND HIS SLOT IS TERMINATED). FURTHER REVIEW
OF REQUIREMENT FOR ENLISTED POSITION WILL TAKE PLACE AT THAT TIME.
IN ORDER NOT TO DISRUPT DIA ASSIGNMENT PROCESS, HOWEVER, AMBASSADOR HAS

AGREED THAT REPLACEMENT MAY BE PROGRAMMED FOR ENLISTED POSITION. IF
SUBSEQUENT REVIEW INDICATES THAT ONE ENLISTED POSITION SHOULD BE
ELIMINATED, FIRST SUCH POSITION TO BECOME VACANT BY NORMAL ATTRITION
WILL NOT RPT NOT BE FILLED. DAO HAS CONCURRED IN THIS PROCEDURE.

2. REVIEW OF OPERATIONS COORDINATOR POSITION MENTIONED IN REFTEL
IS SCHEDULED TO TAKE PLACE THREE MONTHS FROM NOW. BASED ON
EXPERIENCE TO DATE, EMBASSY'S TENTATIVE JUDGMENT IS THAT REVIEW
WILL INDICATE THAT THIS POSITION SHOULD BE RETAINED. THEREFORE,
REFERENCE TO THIS POSITION IN REPLY TO SENATOR PERCY WOULD NOT
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